UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF NEVADA

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,) Case No.: 2:14-mj-00703-CWH
Plaintiff,))
VS.) STIPULATION TO CONTINUE) PRELIMINARY HEARING) (Third Request)
MICHAEL LEON SMITH,	
Defendant.)))

IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED, by and between Daniel G. Bogden, United States Attorney, and Nadia Ahmed, Special Assistant United States Attorney, counsel for the United States of America, and Monique Kirtley, Assistant Federal Public Defender, counsel for defendant **MICHAEL LEON SMITH**, that the preliminary hearing in the above-captioned matter, currently scheduled for February 2, 2015, at the hour of 4:00 p.m., be vacated and continued for thirty (30) days or to a date and time convenient to the Court.

This stipulation is entered into for the following reasons:

- 1. The parties are trying to resolve this matter prior to indictment and are closing to do so.
- 2. Counsel for the defendant will need additional time to discuss any resolution with the defendant.

1	3. Defendant is out of custody and agrees to the continuance.			
2	4. Denial of this request for continuance of the preliminary hearing would prejudic			
3	both the defendant the Government and unnecessarily consume this Court's valuable resources			
4	taking into account the exercise of due diligence.			
5	5.	5. Additionally, denial of this request for continuance could result in a miscarriage		
6	of justice.			
7	6. The additional time requested by this stipulation, is excludable in computing the			
8	time within which the defendant must be indicted and the trial herein must commence pursuan			
9	to the Speedy Trial Act, 18 U.S.C. § 3161(b) and § 3161(h)(8)(A), considering the factors under			
10	18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(8)(B)(I) and (iv).			
11	7.	There have been two	previous requests for continuance of the preliminary	
12	hearing granted herein.			
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14	DATED this 30th day of January, 2015.			
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16			Respectfully submitted,	
17	/s/ Monique Kirtley MONIQUE KIRTLEY Counsel for defendant MICHAEL LEON SMITH		DANIEL G. BOGDEN	
18			United States Attorney	
19			/s/ Nadia Ahmed NADIA AHMED	
20			Special Assistant United States Attorney	
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1 2 3 4 5 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF NEVADA 6 7 Case No: 2:14-mj-00703-VCF 8 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, 9 Plaintiff, ORDER CONTINUING PRELIMINARY HEARING 10 VS. 11 MICHAEL LEON SMITH, Defendant. 12 13 Based on the pending stipulation of counsel, and good cause appearing therefore, the 14 court hereby finds that: 15 IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the preliminary hearing in the above-captioned matter 16 currently scheduled for February 2, 2015, at the hour of 4:00 p.m., be vacated and continued to 17 March 6 __, 2015, at the hour of 4:00 p.m. 18 19 DATED February 5, 2015. 20 21 22 AGISTRATE JUDGE 23 24